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Patrick Warner et al.

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(1) U.S. application No. 09/379,560, filed on August 23, 1999, which is now U.S. patent No. 6,641,507 (Atty. Docket No. 923/US/2);

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(2) U.S. application No. 09/379,488, filed on August 23, 1999, which is now U.S. patent No. 6,557,679 (Atty. Docket No. 923/US/3); and

(3) U.S. application No. 11/137,095, filed on May 24, 2005, which has published as U.S. publication No. 2005/0221962 A1 (Atty. Docket No. 923/US/8), pending.

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